Thattikere and Mangalvarpet etc., by means of a mud conduit running from the tank to the fort. Great inconvenience is caused to the people of other parts, who have to go a great distance to fetch water. This tank does not contain a sufficient supply of water. If rains fail for one or two years, the tank will dry up. It is requested that the capacity of this tank may be increased and the bund etc., strengthened in proportion and the water supplied to the town by laying cast iron pipes at certain places, or Seshiah's tank may be improved and the water of that tank may be reserved to supply Kudineer Katte when it fails.

Reply of Government.—The matter will be investigated.

Subject No. 352.

Construction of a musafirkhana at Channapatna.

Mr. Nanjundaiya.

Summary of Representation.—This town has a large population. There is no accommodation for travellers. The construction of a musafirkhana is necessary as great difficulty is felt by travellers especially of the merchant class, this being a place of silk industry.

Reply of Government.—Matter for District Board.

Subject No. 353.

Appointment of Muzrai Gumasta to the Channapatna Taluk.

Mr. Ranga Iyengar.

Summary of Representation.—As there are 24 institutions and 3 Chattrams, 1 Makan and 1 Masjid in the Channapatna Taluk and as there is an annual expenditure of 32,000 rupees in connection with these, the appointment of one gumasta on Rs. 10 is necessary to carry out the work promptly and efficiently.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 354.

Amalgamation of the Sri Jayalakshmammanni Girls' School with the Government Girls' School.

Mr. Nanjundaiya.

Summary of Representation.—The amalgamation of the Sri Jayalakshmammanni Girls' School with the Government Girls' School is necessary, as the inhabitants can no longer bear the cost of this school. If this be done, the school-going population will increase as Channapatna Town is a large one.

Reply of Government.—Will be enquired into and a report called for.

Subject No. 355.

The restoration of a tank near Nerlur.

Mr. Nanjundaiya.
„ Ranga Iyengar.

Summary of Representation.—The restoration of a tank near Nerlur would bring a large extent of dry lands under wet cultivation. This is recommended in the interest of both the raiyats and the Government.

Reply of Government.—The Chief Engineer states that the necessary Surveys have been taken and further investigation is being proceeded with and that preliminary report has been called for from the Executive Engineer.

Subject No. 356.

The restoration of major tanks

Mr. Ranga Iyengar.

Summary of Representation.—The restoration of major tanks in the taluk has been greatly neglected by the Public Works Department. Sometimes they are partly restored and before completion handed over to the Revenue Department for maintenance. Then the burden of up-keep is thrown on the raiyats. Early steps should be taken for rectifying this state of affairs.

Reply of Government.—Individual cases of hardship may be brought to notice.

Subject No. 357

Construction of dam across Kanva river.

Mr. Ranga Iyengar.

Summary of Representation.—Only a short distance separates the Malur and Closepet rivers near Kutagal. The tank to be constructed there should be fed by diverting the Colsepet river water to this tank. This will be highly profitable to Government and raiyats.

Reply of Government.—The project is being completed and will be considered after completion.

Subject No. 358.

Constructing a tank across the Vrishabhavati river.

Mr. Narasimha Chetti.

Summary of Representation.—It is requested that the project for the construction of a dam across the Vrishabhavati river during its course into Byramangala hobli may be sanctioned early as it would profit both Government and the raiyat population.

Reply of Government.—Under consideration in the Public Works Department.

Subject No. 359.

Repairing the Bolappenhalli and Devankere tanks.

Mr. Narasimha Chetti.

Summary of Representation.—The repair of these two tanks already inspected and surveyed by the Public Works Department may be expedited.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 360.

Construction of quarters for Closepet Taluk kasaba officials.

Mr. Malik Rahiman Saheb.

Summary of Representation.—It is requested that houses may be constructed at Government cost and lent to officials on rent, which will be beneficial both to officials and Government.

Reply of Government.—Cannot be done.

Subject No. 361.

Establishment of an Anglo Vernacular School at Closepet.

Mr. Malik Rahiman Saheb.

Summary of Representation.—Sanction to open a Government Anglo-Vernacular School, as there are many students in the town, is prayed for.

Reply of Government.—There is an aided Mission English School in Closepet which is in a fairly satisfactory state. Another English School is not required.

Subject No. 362.

Water-supply to Closepet.

Mr. Malik Rahiman Saheb.

Summary of Representation.—According to the present arrangement, only the reservoirs near the river receive sufficient supply of water, while those in the other parts receive no supply, such as Dodpet and others. This grievance was brought to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner when he visited Closepet, who promised to look to it early. The revision of mohatarfa in the town to enable the Municipality to obtain a loan from Government for the extension of water pipes to the higher parts of the town is necessary, as there want of water is much felt.

Reply of Government.—This is engaging the attention of the Deputy Commissioner and the Public Works Department.